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| Application No. |) | <u>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</u> |
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Page 8, line 11, please change "Fig. 2 is a diagram" to --Figs. 2a, 2b, and 2c are diagrams--;

Page 8, line 13, please change "Fig. 3 is a diagram" to --Figs. 3a, 3b, 3c and 3d are diagrams--;